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RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Restriction mailed December 15, 2006, Applicant hereby provisionally elects, with traverse, the invention of Group I, claims 1 - 11, 19 - 22 and 26, as identified by the Examiner, for further prosecution.

No amendments of the specification drawings or claims are presented in this paper. Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.